GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
LABOUR
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UNEMPLOYED PERSONS
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Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) the number of persons belonging to handicapped/SCs/STs/OBCs and General Categories registered in the various employment exchanges of North-Eastern States including Sikkim during January 1998 to October, 2000; and

(b) the number of handicap provided jobs during the above period?

Answer

INISTER OF STATE FOR LABOUR & EMPLOYMENT (SHRI MUNI LALL)

a) The number of Registrations made by the Employment Exchanges in North-Eastern states during January-December 1998 (latest available) is indicated below. This does not include Sikkim since there is no employment exchange in Sikkim.

Description	No. of Registration made (in thousand)
Physically Handicapped	0.8
Scheduled Caste	10.7
Scheduled Tribe	64.5
OBC	15.7
General Categories	216.9

b) The number of handicapped persons placed in employment by the Employment Exchanges in North-Eastern States during Jan - Dec 1998 was 47.